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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

LOCAL 210 PENSION FUND,

Plaintiff,

- against -

LEWIS TATE,

Defendant.

**AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE**

Civil Action No. **07-8140**

STATE OF NEW YORK )

s.s.

COUNTY OF NEW YORK )

Mahiri Buffong, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

That deponent is not a party to this action, is over eighteen years of age and resides in the Bronx, New York.

That on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2007 deponent served by hand delivery the within **NOTICE OF REMOVAL, NOTICE OF NOTICE OF REMOVAL and 7.1 STATEMENT** thereof upon:

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Mahiri Buffong

Sworn to before me this  
17<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2007

  
Notary Public

**OMAR S. RICHARDSON**  
Notary Public, State of New York  
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Commission Expires October 21, 2010